



Project Hoosier SAFE-T



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Federal Communications Commission
Wireless Telecommunications Bureau
1270 Fairfield Road
Gettysburg, PA 17325-7245

Dear Sir or Madam,

The State of Indiana, Integrated Public Safety Commission (IPSC), is applying for Special Temporary Authority (STA) for its 5 site simulcast cell in St. Joseph County, Indiana. This cell, which is part of the Indiana State-wide 800 MHz trunking system (Project Hoosier SAFE-T), is being slightly modified ahead of its transition to P25 trunking in the final phase (Phase V) of the P25 transition of the SAFE-T system. This modification includes addition of P25 emission designators to the existing frequencies of the cell, and the installation of new antennas at all 5 sites. Region 54 is aware of this work, and has approved the minor changes to the cell's coverage area. Phase V of the P25 transition is expected to take place early in 2017.

This Special Temporary Authority will allow the simulcast cell to operate through its transition to P25 Trunking. Any questions regarding this application can be addressed to Telecommunications Analyst/Licensing Specialist Alex R. Whitaker at 317-234-6513/email: alwhitaker@ipsc.in.gov.

Thank you for your consideration,

Alex R. Whitaker
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The State of Indiana,
The Integrated Public Safety commission